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**MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL STATE DIRECTORS; ME THROUGH NC**

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**SUBJECT: WEEKLY SUMMER FLOUNDER QUOTA REPORT (NO.9)**

**1999 SUMMER FLOUNDER REPORT (POUNDS)**

State	Late Entries	Week Ending 06-Mar-99	Cumulative Total (to Date)	1999 Quotas	% Landed
ME	0	0	121	4,908	2.5
NH	0	0	0	51	0
MA	0	2,000	37,458	757,842	4.9
RI	10,213	42,758	440,546	1,742,583	25.3
CT	2,755	9,965	91,484	250,791	36.5
NY	1,036	10,454	182,298	793,748	23
NJ	0	2,428	682,911	1,852,637	36.9
DE	0	0	0	-23,194	0
MD	0	5,636	7,842	223,124	3.5
VA	44	5,107	1,100,959	2,210,269	49.8
NC	0	418	2,210,289	3,044,589	72.6
Total	14,048	78,766	4,753,908	10,880,542	43.7

**Notes:**

Numbers in parentheses are negative.

The total quota reflects pounds available for landings in states with quota. States with negative allocations have zero (0) pounds of quota available.

These data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled. Data are supplied to NMFS by dealers and/or state agencies and may be preliminary.

The following summary is updated as information is received, and may not reflect recent state actions. Readers are urged to contact the appropriate state agency for further information.

<b>State/ Commonwealth</b>	<b>Closure status</b>	<b>Trip/Possession Limits (pounds)</b>	<b>Other Provisions/ Pending Changes</b>	<b>State Contact</b>
<b>Maine</b>				<b>Kerry Lyons 207-633-9510</b>
<b>New Hampshire</b>				<b>603-868-1095</b>
<b>Massachusetts</b>		<b>500 lb</b>		<b>Dave Pierce 617-727-3193</b>
<b>Rhode Island</b>		<b>1,000 lb</b>		<b>Richard Sisson 401-789-3094</b>
<b>Connecticut</b>		<b>400 lb</b>	<b>Effective 0001 hrs on 3/12/99</b>	<b>Deb Shake 860-434-6043</b>
<b>New York</b>		<b>200 lb</b>	<b>Effective 0001 hrs on 3/7/99</b>	<b>John Mason 516-444-0453</b>
<b>New Jersey</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Effective 1/2/99 vessels may only land or possess summer flounder 10% by weight of other species on board or 200 lbs</b>		<b>Tom McCloy 609-292-2083</b>
<b>Delaware</b>				<b>Rick Cole 302-739-4782</b>
<b>Maryland</b>		<b>2,000 lb for vessels with Maryland summer flounder landing permit</b>	<b>For vessels without a Maryland summer flounder landing permit, 200 lb from the Atlantic Coast and 100 lb from the Chesapeake Bay</b>	<b>Harley Speir 410-260-8303</b>
<b>Virginia</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>10% by weight of other species on board</b>	<b>Effective 2/4/99</b>	<b>Lewis Gillingham 757-247-2243</b>
<b>North Carolina</b>	<b>State</b>		<b>Effective 2/20/99</b>	<b>Fentress "Red" Munden, 919-726-7021</b>